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IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please amend the specifications as follows:

Paragraph beginning on page 2, at prenumbered line 14, has been amended as follows:

Using a set of sliding mechanism developed from the sliding members 13b at the movable cover 12 and the sliding tracks 11a at the insulation body 11, the movable cover 12 of the prior flexible circuit board connector 10 can be drawn for coverage. Meanwhile, when the movable cover 12 is drawn, the sliding members 13b thereof come into contact with the locating block members 11b at the front ends of the sliding channels 11a of the insulation body 11, and a certain distance between the movable cover 12 and the insulation body 11 is limited. Thus, not only the movable cover 12 is prevented from being disengaged with the insulation body 11, but also an opening of the embedding recess 14 at the insulation body 11 remains totally exposed and unshielded by the press plate 16, so as to facilitate insertion of the FFC 80 into the embedding recess 14 at the insulation body 11. When the movable cover 12 is closed and located tightly relative to the insulation body 11, the press plate ~~165~~ of the movable cover 12 is extended into embedding recess 14 at the insulation body

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11, such that the FFC 80 is pressed by the press plate 16 and steadily positioned in the embedding recess 14 at the insulation body to become electrically connected with the insertion terminals 50.

Paragraph beginning on page 6, at prenumbered line 3, has been amended as follows:

FIG. 6 shows a sectional view of FIG. 5 taken along a sectional line 6-6. When the movable cover 40 is drawn, the locating member 60 locates the movable cover and prevents the two side flanks ~~32~~ 42 at the movable cover 40 from disengaging with the insulation body 30.

Paragraph beginning on page 7, at prenumbered line 3, has been amended as follows:

The insulation body 30 further has an indented embedding slot 34 at an area near each of two sides of a ~~breadth-obverse~~ 31 thereof. Each embedding slot 34 may be devised as a groove penetrated through the insulation body 30, or as a groove having a certain depth at a lower plane of the insulation body 30. However, positions of the embedding slots 34 have no undesired effects on the

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sliding tracks 33 at the two side walls of the insulation body, and also leave the embedding recess 32 at the insulation body 30 undamaged.

Paragraph beginning on page 7, at prenumbered line 11, has been amended as follows:

~~An~~The obverse plane 31 of the insulation body 30 is formed with an extended flange 35 at a middle portion at each of two sides thereof, so as to develop into another embodiment according to the invention.

Paragraph beginning on page 8, at prenumbered line 4, has been amended as follows:

Referring to FIGS. 3 to 5, when the sliding members 42c of the flanks 42 at the left and right sides of the movable cover 40 are individually accommodated into the sliding tracks 33 at the two side walls of the insulation body 30, the left and right sides of the obverse plane 31 of the insulation body 30 are placed at the guiding tracks 42b at the left and right sides of the movable cover 40. When the movable cover 40 is drawn or closed, apart from the sliding members 42c of the movable cover 40

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sliding relatively in the sliding tracks 33a of the insulation body 30, the guiding tracks 42b of the movable cover 40 also have effects of guiding the movable cover 40 to slide smoothly. Similarly, with reference to FIGS. 3, 5 and 7, in order to enable insulation body 30 having the obverse plane 31 with the flanges 35 at the two sides to be placed on the guiding tracks 42b at the two sides of the movable cover 40, the guiding tracks 42 of the movable cover 40 may also be utilized for guiding and locating the movable cover 40. Thus, each guiding track 42b of the movable cover 40 is excavated with a flange indenture 42e at a middle section of a vertical ~~breadth~~ plane thereof for corresponding with a shape of each flange 35, and is also formed with an indenture 42e at a rear section of the vertical ~~breadth~~ plane thereof. When the movable cover 40 is drawn, the indentures 42e are for accommodating the flanges 35 of the insulation body 30 as shown in FIG. 7. When the movable cover 40 is closed, the flanges 35 of the insulation body 30 are entered into the flanges indentures 42d to indicate that the movable cover 40 has reached a located position as shown in FIG. 7.

Paragraph beginning on page 9, at prenumbered line 8, has been amended as follows:

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The locating members 60 are ~~symmetrical or identical structures, and are~~ integrals ~~consisted of~~ with a lower panel 61, a press panel 62 and block panel 63 in structure. Wherein, the lower panel 61 is a horizontal rectangular plate, and the press panel 62 and the block panel 63 are vertical plates having a certain distance in between and being parallel to each other. Furthermore, the press panels 62 are bent and formed at a side of the lower panel 61. A vertical ~~breadth plane~~ of each press panel 62 has a width slightly smaller than that of the embedding slots 34, and therefore the press panels 62 of the locating members 60 can be placed into the embedding slots 34 of the insulation body 30

Paragraph beginning on page 9, at prenumbered line 18, has been amended as follows:

According to the aforesaid descriptions and with reference to FIGS. 5 to 8, for an assembly of the locating member 60, the insulation body 30, the movable cover 40 and the plurality of insertion terminals 50 into the flexible circuit board connector 20 according to the invention, when the movable cover 40 is drawn to a located position, the inverted L-shaped ribs 42a at the front ends of the left and right side flanks 42 of the movable cover 40 are retained by the

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block panels 63 of the locating members 60 and cannot be moved further in a direction being pulled. Moreover, outer front portions of the flanks 42 at the movable cover 40 are also tugged by the block panels 63 of the locating members 60, thereby preventing the movable cover 40 from disengaging with the insulation body 30.

Paragraph beginning on page 10, at prenumbered line 16, has been amended as follows:

To put the invention to use, referring to FIGS. 5 and 6, the movable cover 60 is drawn until it cannot be linearly moved further. At this point, the inverted L-shaped ribs ~~42b~~42a at the outer front ends of the flanks 42 at the movable cover 42 come into contact with the block members 63 of the locating members 60, thereby locating the movable cover 40. Meanwhile, the front sections of the flanks 42 at the movable cover 40 are retained by the block members 63 having ~~containing~~confining effects, and hence the flanks 42 at the movable cover 40 are prevented from bending or deformation as well as avoiding the movable cover 40 from disengaging with the insulation body 30.